

FIG. 1

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	B	C	D	E	F
1	Parameter Description	Delta Lock	Parameter Value 2000-10-01	Parameter Value 2001-04-01	Parameter Value 2001-10-01
2	Home Health Aide Service Amount	Y	43.37	44.32	44.95
3	Percent of total for initial claim	Y	0.6		
4	Federal standard Labor Factor	Y	0.77668		
5	Los sharing ratio utilized in the cal	Y	0.8		
6	Max number of visits for a LUPA	Y	4		
7	Medical Social Services Service An	Y	153.55	156.93	159.14
8	Federal standard non-labor factor	Y	0.22332		
9	Occupational Therapy Service Amc	Y	105.44	107.76	109.28
10	Factor utilized to calculate the fixed	Y	1.13		
11	Physical Therapy Service Amount	Y	104.74	107.04	108.55
12	Speech Pathology Service Amount	Y	113.81	116.31	117.95
13	Skilled Nurse Service Amount	Y	95.79	97.90	99.28
14	Federal Standard PPS Reimbursement	Y	2115.30	2161.84	2274.17
15	% of total calculated reimbursement	Y	0.5		
16	Minimum number of therapy hours	Y	8		
17	Minimum number of therapy service	Y	10		
18	Additional percentage added to the	Y	0.00	10.00	

FIG. 2a

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	A	B	C	D	E	F
1	MSA code	Description	NonMSA	WageIndex 2000-10-01	WageIndex 2001-10-01	WageIndex 2002-10-01
2	0040	Abilene, TX		0.8180	0.8240	0.7965
3	0060	Aguadilla, PR		0.3814	0.4391	0.4683
4	0080	Akron, OH		1.0164	0.9736	0.9876
5	0120	Albany, GA		1.0373	0.9933	1.0640
6	0160	Albany-Schenectady-Troy, NY		0.8755	0.8549	0.8500
7	0200	Albuquerque, NM		0.8500	0.9136	0.9759
8	0220	Alexandria, LA		0.7870	0.8123	0.8029
9	0240	Allentown-Bethlehem-Easton, PA		1.0228	0.9925	1.0077

FIG. 2b

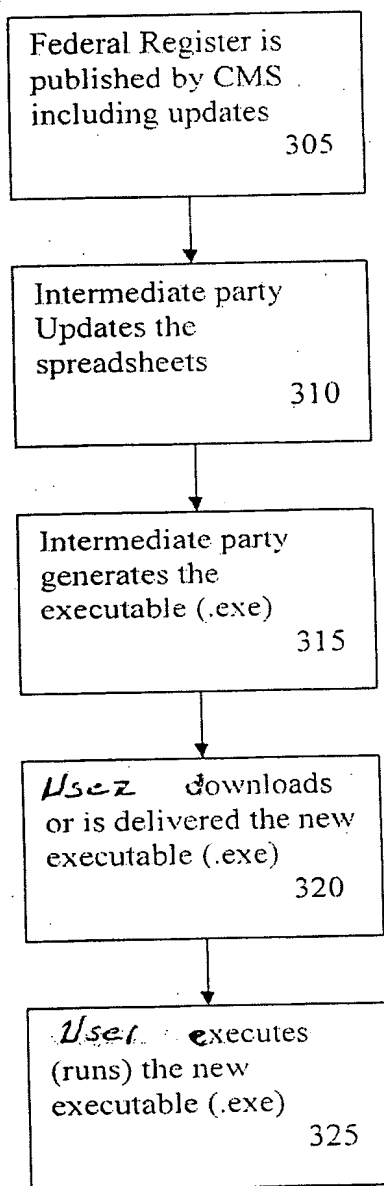


FIG. 3

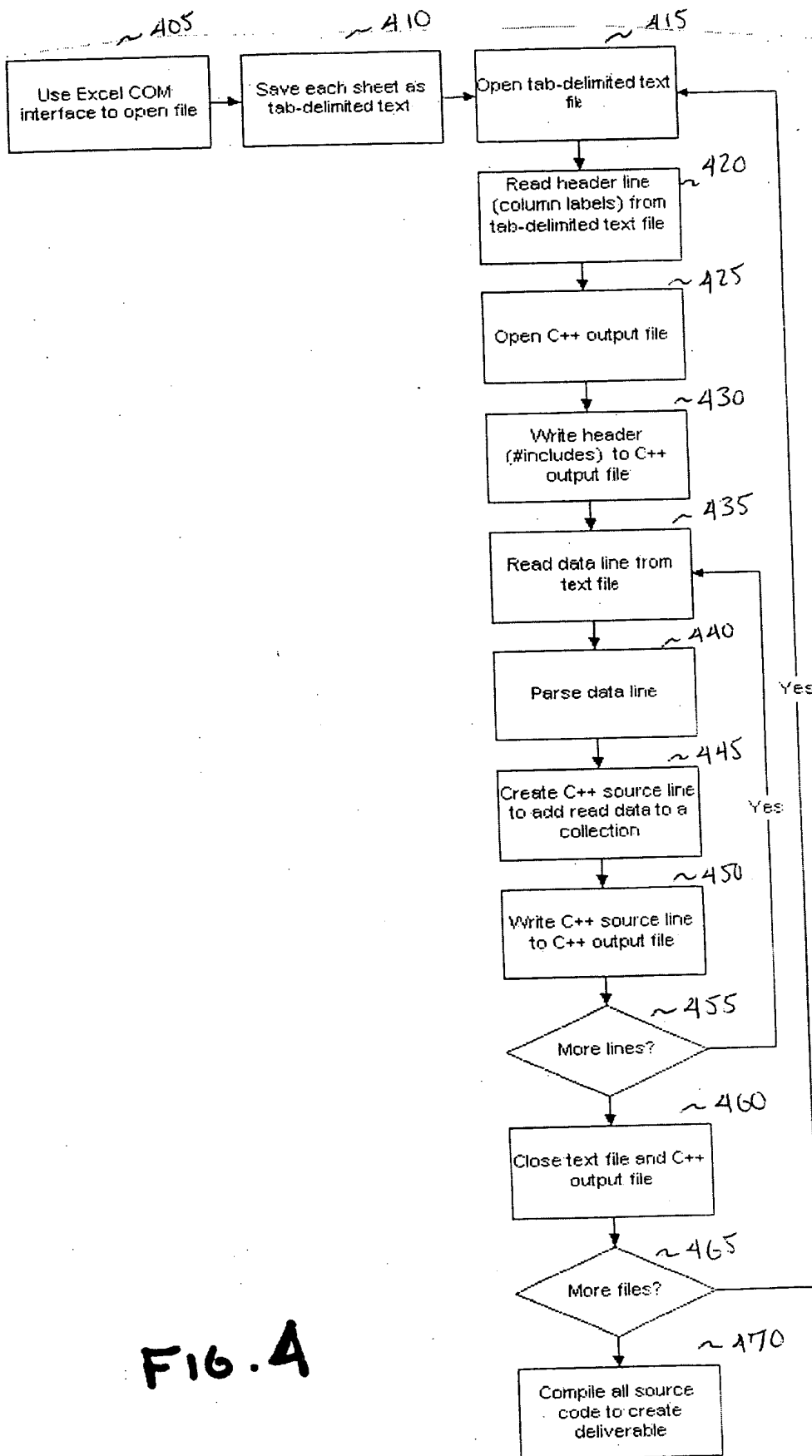


FIG. 4

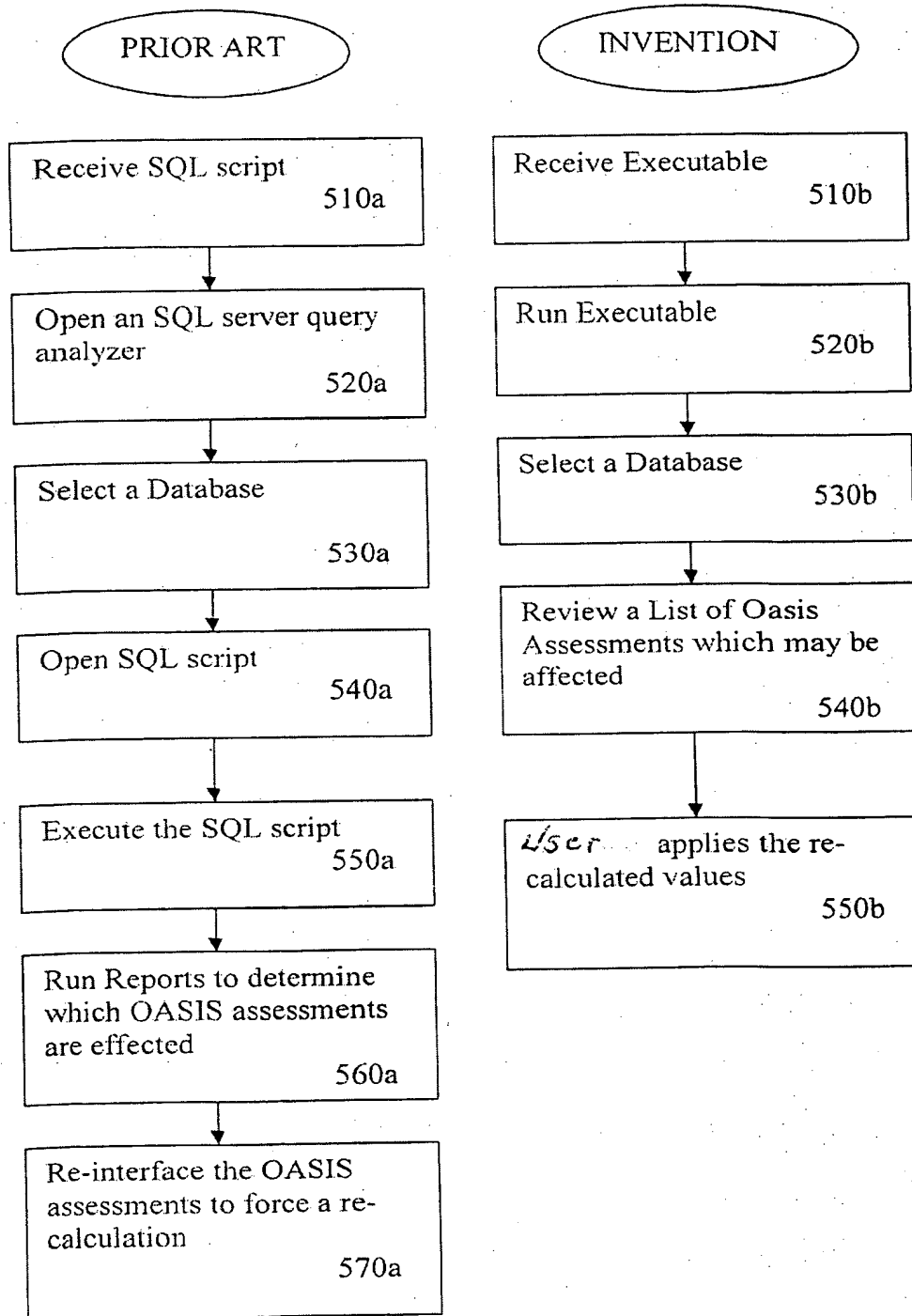


FIG. 5

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PPSRateUpdate

The rates published with this version are for April 2003. There may be a newer version available.  
Do you wish to proceed

YES

NO

FIG. 6

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PPSRate Adjustor

This application will update your PPS Snapshot Database with the wage index and other values Defined by CMS as of April 2003.

OASIS Assessments for claim periods which have not Yet ended will be automatically corrected.

Press the OK button below to select a database.

OK

DONE

FIG. 7

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Select Datasource

802 ~ Datasource

804 ~ Username

806 ~ Password

ODBC Driver Manager

OK

Cancel

FIG. 8